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This Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is submitted under 37 C.F.R.  $\S1.97(c)(2)$  to supplement Information Disclosure Statements filed on April 12, 1999 and April 30, 2002.

According to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c), an Information Disclosure Statement shall be considered by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office if filed before the mailing date of any of a Final Office Action under 37 C.F.R. §1.113, a Notice of Allowance under 37 C.F.R. §1.311, or an action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application, if the Information Disclosure Statement is accompanied by either (1) a statement as specified in 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e) or (2) the fee set forth in C.F.R. §1.17(p). Applicants are filing this Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement before the issuance of a Final Office Action, a Notice of Allowance, or an action closing prosecution in the subject The fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p) is ONE application. HUNDRED EIGHTY DOLLAR (\$180.00) and a check in this amount is enclosed.

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In accordance with their duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, applicants would like to direct the Examiner's attention to the following reference which is listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 (Exhibit 1) and attached hereto as Exhibit 2:

Japanese Patent Application Hei 9-512598, published September 7, 1999, including English-language machine translation.

Applicants note that Japanese Patent Application Hei 9-512598 is a Japanese counterpart of PCT International Publication No. WO 97/11091 which was disclosed with applicants' Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed on April 30, 2002.

If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing prosecution of the subject application, applicants' undersigned attorney invites the Examiner to telephone the number provided below.

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No fee, other than the enclosed \$180.00 fee for submission of an Information Disclosure Statement, is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. However, if any other fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

certify hereby that correspondence is being deposited this date with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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